

BUREAU OF INFORMATION AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS AGENCY REVIEW COMMITTEE AGENDA

Representative J.E. "Jim" Putnam, Chair Senator John Koskan, Vice Chair

Second Meeting 2004 Interim Monday, August 16, 2004 Room 412 State Capitol Building Pierre, South Dakota

9:00 a.m. Call to Order

Roll Call - Determination of Quorum

Chair's Remarks
Vice Chair's Remarks

9:15 a.m. Bureau of Information and Telecommunications' (BIT) Response to

Committee Requests - Commissioner Otto Doll

9:45 a.m. Committee Discussion

10:00 a.m.* Agency Presentation - South Dakota Public Broadcasting and Digital Television (DTV)

- Current Status of DTV
- Conversion Plan for DTV
- Review Funding Sources for DTV
- FCC Guidelines for DTV

1:30 p.m. Testimony on DTV

- ➤ John Lawson, President of Association of Public Television Stations
- > Rod Bates, President of Nebraska Educational Television
- Jack Hanson, Former General Manager of KSFY
- South Dakota Board of Directors for Educational Telecommunications Board Member

4:00 p.m. Committee Discussion

4:30 p.m. Determination of Next Meeting Date

*Lunch and break times to be determined by the chair.

Members: Representative J.E. "Jim" Putnam, Chair; Senator John Koskan, Vice-Chair; Senators Jerry Apa and Dick Kelly; Representatives Mike Buckingham, Tom Hackl, Elizabeth Kraus, Gordon Pederson, Donna Schafer, David Sigdestad, and Paul Valandra.

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